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In re application of Gregory Clegg Spooner

Serial No. 10/664,579

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For: Sweeping Appliance

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Sir: Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

[] Applicant(s) is/are entitled to small entity status in accordance with 37 CFR 1.27.

[] Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

The present amendment is being filed in regards to the utility application identified above. Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.

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